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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Y. EGUCHI et al.

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For: BACKUP COPYING AND RESTORATION PROCESSING IN A  
STORAGE SUBSYSTEM

Group: 2113

Examiner: P. Guyton

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents

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July 9, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2007, the period for reply thereto being extended one month by the attached Petition for Extension of Time to expire July 7, 2007, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks are included following the amendments.**

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